

# B.Sc Chemistry Honours

## CORE COURSE (HONOURS IN CHEMISTRY)

### SEMESTER I

#### CHEMISTRY - C I: INORGANIC CHEMISTRY-I (Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)

##### Theory: 60 Lectures

**Atomic Structure:** Recapitulation of Bohr's theory, its limitations and atomic spectrum of hydrogen atom. Wave mechanics: de Broglie equation, Heisenberg's Uncertainty Principle and its significance.

Schrödinger's wave equation, significance of  $\psi$  and  $\psi^2$ . Quantum numbers and their significance. Normalized and orthogonal wave functions. Sign of wave functions. Radial and angular wave functions for hydrogen atom. Radial and angular distribution curves. Shapes of *s*, *p*, *d* and *f* orbitals.

Pauli's Exclusion Principle, Hund's rule of maximum multiplicity, aufbau principle and its limitations.

**Periodicity of Elements:** Brief discussion of the following properties of the elements, with reference to *s* & *p*-block and the trends shown: (14 Lectures)

- Effective nuclear charge, shielding or screening effect, Slater rules, variation of effective nuclear charge in periodic table.
- Atomic and ionic radii
- Ionization enthalpy, Successive ionization enthalpies and factors affecting ionization enthalpy and trends in groups and periods.
- Electron gain enthalpy and trends in groups and periods.
- Electronegativity, Pauling's/ Allred Rochow's scales. Variation of electronegativity with bond order, partial charge, hybridization, group electronegativity.

##### Chemical Bonding:

(16 Lectures)

- Ionic bond:** General characteristics, types of ions, size effects, radius ratio rule and its limitations. Packing of ions in crystals. Born-Landé equation with derivation and importance of Kapustinskii expression for lattice energy. Madelung constant, Born-Haber cycle and its application, Solvation energy.
- Covalent bond:** Lewis structure, Valence Bond theory (Heitler-London approach). Energetics of hybridization, equivalent and non-equivalent hybrid orbitals. Bent's rule,

Resonance and resonance energy, Molecular orbital theory. Molecular orbital diagrams of diatomic and simple polyatomic molecules  $N_2$ ,  $O_2$ ,  $C_2$ ,  $B_2$ ,  $F_2$ , CO, NO, and their ions; HCl (idea of *s-p* mixing and orbital interaction to be given). Formal charge, Valence shell electron pair repulsion theory (VSEPR), shapes of the following simple molecules and ions containing lone pairs and bond pairs of electrons:  $H_2O$ ,  $NH_3$ ,  $PCl_3$ ,  $PCl_5$ ,  $SF_6$ ,  $ClF_3$ ,  $I_3^-$ ,  $BrF_2^+$ ,  $PCl_6^-$ ,  $ICl_4^-$  and  $SO_4^{2-}$ .

Multiple bonding ( $\sigma$  and  $\pi$  bond approach) and bond lengths.

Covalent character in ionic compounds, polarizing power and polarizability. Fajan's rules and consequences of polarization.

Ionic character in covalent compounds: Bond moment and dipole moment. Percentage ionic character from dipole moment and electronegativity difference.

(iii) **Metallic Bond:** Qualitative idea of valence bond and band theories. Semiconductors and insulators, defects in solids.

(iv) **Weak Chemical Forces:** van der Waals forces, ion-dipole forces, dipole-dipole interactions, induced dipole interaction. Hydrogen bonding (theories of hydrogen bonding, valence bond treatment). Effects of weak chemical forces, melting and boiling points, solubility, energetics of dissolution process.

(30 Lectures)

##### Reference Books:

- Lee, J.D. Concise Inorganic Chemistry, Pearson Education 2010
- Huheey, J.E., Keiter, E.A., Keiter, R. L., Medhi, O.K. Inorganic Chemistry, Principles of Structure and Reactivity, Pearson Education 2006.
- Douglas, B.E. and Mc Daniel, D.H., Concepts & Models of Inorganic Chemistry, Oxford, 1970
- Shriver, D.D. & P. Atkins, *Inorganic Chemistry 2<sup>nd</sup> Ed.*, Oxford University Press, 1994.
- Day, M.C. and Selbin, J. Theoretical Inorganic Chemistry, ACS Publications 1962.

##### Practical C – I Lab: 60 Lectures

###### (A) Titrimetric Analysis

- Calibration and use of apparatus
- Preparation of solutions of titrants of different Molarity/Normality

###### (B) Acid-Base Titrations

Principles of acid-base titrations to be discussed.

- Estimation of sodium carbonate using standardized HCl.
- Estimation of carbonate and hydroxide present together in a mixture.
- Estimation of carbonate and bicarbonate present together in a mixture.
- Estimation of free alkali present in different soaps/detergents

(C) Oxidation-Reduction Titrimetry

Principles of oxidation-reduction titrations (electrode potentials) to be discussed.

- (i) Estimation of Fe(II) and oxalic acid using standardized  $\text{KMnO}_4$  solution
- (ii) Estimation of oxalic acid and sodium oxalate in a given mixture.
- (iii) Estimation of Fe(II) with  $\text{K}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$  using internal indicator (diphenylamine, N-phenylanthranilic acid) and discussion of external indicator.

*Reference Books:*

- Vogel, A.I. A Textbook of Quantitative Inorganic Analysis, ELBS.

**CHEMISTRY - C II: PHYSICAL CHEMISTRY I**  
**(Credits: Theory-04, Practicals-02)**

**Theory: 60 Lectures**

**Gaseous state:** Kinetic molecular model of a gas: postulates and derivation of the kinetic gas equation; collision frequency; collision diameter; mean free path and viscosity of gases, including their temperature and pressure dependence, relation between mean free path and coefficient of viscosity, calculation of  $\sigma$  from  $\eta$ ; variation of viscosity with temperature and pressure. Maxwell distribution and its use in evaluating molecular velocities (average, root mean square and most probable) and average kinetic energy, law of equipartition of energy, degrees of freedom and molecular basis of heat capacities.

Behaviour of real gases: Deviations from ideal gas behaviour, compressibility factor, Z, and its variation with pressure and temperature for different gases. Causes of deviation from ideal behaviour. van der Waals equation of state, its derivation and application in explaining real gas behaviour, calculation of Boyle temperature. Isotherms of real gases and their comparison with van der Waals isotherms, continuity of states, critical state, relation between critical constants and van der Waals constants, law of corresponding states. **(18 Lectures)**

**Liquid state:** Qualitative treatment of the structure of the liquid state; physical properties of liquids; vapour pressure, surface tension and coefficient of viscosity, and their determination. Effect of addition of various solutes on surface tension and viscosity. Explanation of cleansing action of detergents. Temperature variation of viscosity of liquids and comparison with that of gases. **(6 Lectures)**

**Solid state:** Nature of the solid state, law of constancy of interfacial angles, law of rational indices, Miller indices, elementary ideas of symmetry, symmetry elements and symmetry operations, qualitative idea of point and space groups, seven crystal systems and fourteen Bravais lattices; X-ray diffraction, Bragg's law, a simple account of rotating crystal method and

powder pattern method. Analysis of powder diffraction patterns of NaCl, CsCl and KCl.

**(16 Lectures)**

**Ionic equilibria:** Strong, moderate and weak electrolytes, degree of ionization, factors affecting degree of ionization, ionization constant and ionic product of water. Ionization of weak acids and bases, pH scale, common ion effect; dissociation constants of mono and diprotic acids. Salt hydrolysis-calculation of hydrolysis constant, degree of hydrolysis and pH for different salts. Buffer solutions; derivation of Henderson equation and its applications. Solubility and solubility product of sparingly soluble salts – applications of solubility product principle. Qualitative treatment of acid – base titration curves (calculation of pH at various stages). Theory of acid–base indicators; selection of indicators and their limitations. **(20 Lectures)**

*Reference Books:*

- Atkins, P. W. & Paula, J. de Atkin's Physical Chemistry Ed., Oxford University Press 13 (2006).
- Ball, D. W. Physical Chemistry Thomson Press, India (2007).
- Castellan, G. W. Physical Chemistry 4th Ed. Narosa (2004).
- Mortimer, R. G. Physical Chemistry 3rd Ed. Elsevier: NOIDA, UP (2009).

**Practical C – II Lab: 60 Lectures**

**1. Surface tension measurements using stalagmometer.**

- a. Determine the surface tension by (i) drop number (ii) drop weight method.
- b. Study the variation of surface tension with different concentration of detergent solutions. Determine CMC.

**2. Viscosity measurement using Ostwald's viscometer.**

- a. Determination of co-efficient of viscosity of an unknown aqueous solution.
- b. Study the variation of co-efficient of viscosity with different concentration of Poly Vinyl Alcohol (PVA) and determine molar of PVA.
- b. Study the variation of viscosity with different concentration of sugar solutions.

**3. Solid State:**

- a. Indexing of a given powder diffraction pattern of a cubic crystalline system.

**4. pH metry:**

- a. Study the effect of addition of HCl/NaOH on pH to the solutions of acetic acid, sodium acetate and their mixtures.

b. Preparation of buffer solutions of different pH values i. Sodium acetate-acetic acid ii. Ammonium chloride-ammonium hydroxide

c. pH metric titration of (i) strong acid with strong base, (ii) weak acid with strong base. Determination of dissociation constant of a weak acid.

Any other experiment carried out in the class.

*Reference Books:*

- Khosla, B. D.; Garg, V. C. & Gulati, A. Senior Practical Physical Chemistry, R. Chand & Co.: New Delhi (2011).
- Garland, C. W.; Nibler, J. W. & Shoemaker, D. P. Experiments in Physical Chemistry 8th Ed.; McGraw-Hill: New York (2003).
- Halpern, A. M. & McBane, G. C. Experimental Physical Chemistry 3rd Ed.; W.H. Freeman & Co.: New York (2003).

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**Semester I**  
**English General Elective Paper**

**Paper 1: Academic Writing and Composition**  
**(Any four)**

1. Introduction to the Writing Process
2. Introduction to the Conventions of Academic Writing
3. Writing in one's own words: Summarizing and Paraphrasing
4. Critical Thinking: Syntheses, Analyses, and Evaluation
5. Structuring an Argument: Introduction, Interjection, and Conclusion
6. Citing Resources; Editing, Book and Media Review

**Suggested Readings**

1. Liz Hamp-Lyons and Ben Heasley, *Study writing: A Course in Writing Skills for Academic Purposes* (Cambridge: CUP, 2006).
2. Renu Gupta, *A Course in Academic Writing* (New Delhi: Orient BlackSwan, 2010).
3. Ilona Leki, *Academic Writing: Exploring Processes and Strategies* (New York: CUP, 2nd edn, 1998).
4. Gerald Graff and Cathy Birkenstein, *They Say/I Say: The Moves That Matter in Academic Writing* (New York: Norton, 2009).

**Semester I**  
**Maths General Elective Paper**  
**GE- I CALCULUS**

Five Lectures per week + Tutorial as per University rules  
Max. Marks 100 (including internal assessment)  
Examination 3 hrs.

**UNIT-I**

$\epsilon$ - $\delta$  Definition of limit of a function, One sided limit, Limits at infinity, Horizontal asymptotes, Infinite limits, Vertical asymptotes, Linearization, Differential of a function, Concavity, Points of inflection, Curve sketching, Indeterminate forms, L'Hopital's rule, Volumes by slicing, Volumes of solids of revolution by the disk method.

**UNIT-II**

Volumes of solids of revolution by the washer method, Volume by cylindrical shells, Length of plane curves, Area of surface of revolution, Improper integration: Type I and II, Tests of convergence and divergence, Polar coordinates, Graphing in polar coordinates, Vector valued functions: Limit, Continuity, Derivatives, Integrals, Arc length, Unit tangent vector.

**UNIT-III**

Curvature, Unit normal vector, Torsion, Unit binormal vector, Functions of several Variables, Graph, Level curves, Limit, Continuity, Partial derivatives, Differentiability Chain Rule, Directional derivatives, Gradient, Tangent plane and normal line, Extreme values, Saddle points

**REFERENCES:**

- [1] G. B. Thomas and R. L. Finney, Calculus, Pearson Education, 11/e (2012)  
[2] H. Anton, I. Bivens and S. Davis, Calculus, John Wiley and Sons Inc., 7/e (2011)

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### CBCS

S. No.	Course Code	Course Title
1	CI	Inorganic chemistry
2	CII	Physical chemistry
3	AECI	English/Academic writing & composite
4	GEI	Maths/Calculus
5	Practical Examination	Physical, Inorganic Chemistry